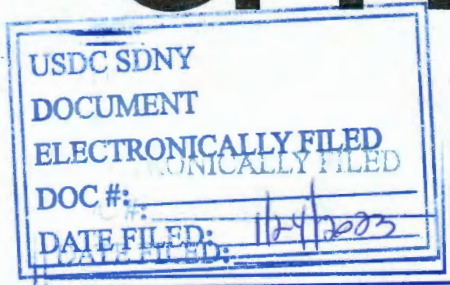


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LETTER MOTION VIA ECF

Honorable Colleen McMahon
 United States District Judge for the
 Southern District of New York
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan
 United States Courthouse
 500 Pearl St.
 New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *Settles v. Daktronics, Inc., et al.*, Case No. 1:22-cv-10793-CM

Dear Judge McMahon:

I represent Plaintiffs Steve Settles and Dawg Investment Fund LLC ("Plaintiffs") in the above-referenced action. In accordance with the Section I.D.2 of the Court's Individual Practices and Procedures, I write respectfully to move for adjournment of the Civil Case Management Plan (currently due January 23, 2023) and the Initial Pretrial Conference (currently set for February 23, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.). ECF No. 5.

This is a securities class action alleging claims pursuant to Sections 10(b) and 20(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, 15 U.S.C. § 78u-4 *et seq.* (the "PSLRA"). The PSLRA provides the procedure to appoint a lead plaintiff and lead counsel, 15 U.S.C. § 78u-4(a)(3), and requires that "discovery and other proceedings are stayed during the pendency of any a motion to dismiss," 15 U.S.C. § 78u-4(b)(3)(B). In accordance with the PSLRA, the deadline for any putative class member to move for appointment as lead plaintiff is February 21, 2023.

Accordingly, Plaintiffs request that, pursuant to the provisions of the PSLRA, as well as Section IV.M of the Court's Individual Practices and Procedures, scheduling in this case be postponed until lead plaintiff and lead counsel have been appointed.

There have been no prior requests for adjournment or extension. Though Defendant Daktronics, Inc. was served on January 3, 2023 (ECF No. 6), defense counsel has not yet appeared or contacted Plaintiffs' Counsel, thus I have been unable to request or obtain Defendants' consent to this motion.

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 If you need my rules
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 you will see that there is
 no rule 16 conference
 in a PSLRA case.
 We are forced to
 follow the PSLRA on
 all requests

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I appreciate the Court's consideration and am available at the Court's convenience should Your Honor have any questions.

Respectfully,

/s/ Gregory B. Linkh

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cc: All counsel of record (via ECF)